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DEVICES OF AN INTRANET NETWORK)
THROUGH THE WEB") Date: June 18, 2001

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Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-identified application, it is respectfully requested that the following amendments be made to the Specification:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace the "Description of the drawings" on page 5 of the specification with the amended "Description of the drawings", which is set forth below. (Appendix A, which is enclosed herewith, shows how the original "Description of the drawings" on page 5 of the specification was amended to produce the amended "Description of the drawings".)

Appendix A

(VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE)

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(amended)

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Figure 5 is a flow chart of the control process executed by the Internet Control Agents.

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REMARKS

The above amendment is supported by the discussion of Figure 5 on page 13 of the specification and Figure 5 of the formal drawings.

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Enclosure: Appendix A